

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed:
Examiner made the following suggestions, which would place the instant application in condition for allowance: (1) For independent Claims 5 and 21, include the limitation of a capsule, whereby the composition is in powdered form and coated with gum arabic. Applicant did not accept the proposed claim amendments suggested by the Examiner. Applicant's representative was notified that all pending claims (4-9, 11, 16-18 & 20-28) would be rejected under 103(a) over Ueda et al. (6,831,103). No further agreement reached at this time.